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## NOTES/COMMENTS:

Dear Examiner Parthasarathy -

Attached for filing purposes is a Response Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.111 and an Amendment No Fee Transmittal (in duplicate) with fee authorization, if necessary.

Cordially,

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2005, the shortened statutory period for which runs until August 18, 2005. This response is presented in the format allowed by the Notice of the Office of Patent Legal Administration issued January 31, 2003.

There are no amendments to the specification. Amendments to the claims and Remarks, are presented on separate sheets below.

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